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BETWEEN \$256Z AND \$5\$8Z DEC 71 COMINT REFLECTED TWO CONVERSATIONS RELATING TO POSSIBLE SHOOT DOWN OF U.S. AIRCRAFT AFD THE SUBSEQUENT CAPTURE OF AF AMERICAN PILOT IN THE QUAN LANG AREA. AT \$2562 DEC 71 A 5AM SITE IN THE QUAN LANG AREA REPORTED THAT TWO AIRCRAFT WERE DOWN WEST OF THEIR LOCATION AND THAT HELICOPTERS WERE TRYING TO RESCUE THEM. AT \$5882, THE 263RD SAM REGIMENT CONTROLLER REPORTED TO AN UNIDENTIFIED CONTROLLER THAT A UNIT (NOT SPECIFIED) HAD CAPTURED A DOWNED PILOT. COMMENT, THIS REPORT BASED ON PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS. OF AIRBORNE INTERCEPT XXHH 248 #8881 NNNN

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